MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification No. C3. 1208—39-40, *dated 2nd October* 1939.

The following gentlemen are appointed as members of the Committee of Dharmadarsis to supervise the affairs of the Sri Kasi Visweswaraswamy Temple at Magadi, for a period of three years.

Sl No.	Name	Age	Caste	Occupation	Remarks
	Messrs.—	Years			
1	M S Narayana Rao ...	33	Brahmin ...	Jodidar ...	Convenor
2	T Srinivasa Rao ...	38	Do ...	Shanbhog ...	Member
3	Kasi Venkatanarayana Sastry.	48	Do ...	Jodidar ...	Do
4	Shroff Rangaswamy Chetty.	53	Vysya ...	Merchant ...	Do
5	M R Veerabhadrayya ...	35	Veerasaiva ...	Do ...	Do

A. A. KHAN,
Deputy Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Circular No. 9—*C. S., dated* 30*th September* 1939.

Subject:—Preventing multiple membership in Co-operative Credit Societies.

The attention to the Managing Committee of Co-operative Credit Societies is invited to Rule 6-C of the Mysore Co-operative Societies Rules and this Office Circular No. 20, dated 23rd May 1938 and 7, dated 11th August 1938 and they are informed that the undersigned feels that all the Societies are not co-operating with the officers of the Department in enforcing the Rule. As the object of the Rule is the prevention of the scope for obtaining credit from various institutions, the Societies in their own interests, have to see to the enforcement of the rule with a view to limiting the credit that may be granted to their members. One of the easiest ways of co-operating with the Officers of the Department in the enforcement of the rule is by refusing the grant of additional credit or accommodation to such of their members as are members of other Credit Societies. It is trusted that the Managing Committees of Societies will respond to this call most heartily and see that the benevolent intentions of Government in framing the said rule are brought into effect.

Notification No. 3953—*C. S., dated 2nd October* 1939.

In partial modification of this Office Notification No. 3992—C. S., dated 25th November 1937, the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Chamarajnagar Circle, is appointed *Ex-officio* Liquidator of the Venkataiyanachatra Co-operative Society, Unltd., Chamarajnagar Taluk, to wind up its affairs in place of Mr. B. K. Belliappa, B.A.

M. ABDUL HUKH,
Registrar.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES IN MYSORE.

Notification No. 552, *dated Oorgaum,* 18*th September* 1939.

Instances have come to the notice of this Department where licensees manufacturing explosives, instead of doing so in the places indicated on their licenses do clandestinely manufacture them in their own dwelling houses or sale premises within closed doors during night time. As such places are generally situated on public roads in congested localities and since such a practice is liable to endanger public safety, persons in the know are requested to

guard themselves against eventualities by promptly reporting the names of such licensees to the local Police authorities. This notice is published for general information in view of the approaching Deepavali Festival when the licensees are likely to transgress the conditions of their licenses owing to the demand for firework articles during the season.

Government in their Notification No. D. 2814—Geol. 66-28-25, dated 9th September 1930, have prohibited, within the Mysore State, the manufacture, possession and importation of any explosive consisting of or containing sulphur or sulphuret in admixture with chlorate of potassium or any other chlorate.

Many accidents, caused during the illicit manufacture and handling of a variety of fireworks commonly known as "Pattas" or "Belluli Pattas"—throwdowns or small bombs—consisting of a mixture of potassium chlorate (ಪೊಟಾಸ್ ಉಪ್ಪು) and Arsenic or Antimony Sulphide (ಮೈಟಿಲೆ ಹರಿದಳ) or Sulphur (ಗಂಧಕ) have come to the notice of this department resulting in serious and sometimes fatal injuries to the persons manufacturing or handling the mixture, besides doing damage to property.

The mixture constitutes a highly dangerous explosive which is sensitive to friction, force (blows) and even liable to ignite spontaneously.

As this firework composition is mostly used during Deepavali and Shaban festivals, timely warning is hereby given to all persons concerned not to manufacture, possess or sell this dangerous explosive.

Any person manufacturing, possessing or importing such a mixture will be punished according to Law.

K. DURAISWAMIER,
Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives in Mysore.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BANGALORE.

GOVERNMENT PRESS BUILDINGS.

Dated 27th September 1938.

The following rules are published for the information of the public :—

1. The Depot will be open for transactions between 11-30 A.M. and 4 P.M. on all the working days.
2. Requisition for the supply of books by Value Payable Post must be accompanied by remittances sufficient to cover at least the postal and packing charges.
3. Books will be sent at the risk of the purchaser and the Superintendent accepts no responsibility for loss in transit.
4. *Sale of Departmental Publications.*—

   Departmental Publications, except those in Urdu, are not sold at the Depot for less than Rs. 100 net at a time. Commission to wholesale purchasers on departmental publications is allowed at 12½ per cent. Packing and forwarding charges extra.
5. *Sale of Official Publications.*—

   These publications are sold at the Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, and also at the Government Book-selling Agencies in District Headquarters.

   A commission of 15 per cent is allowed on the purchase of the Official Publications from the Government Central Book Depot, only to approved book-sellers if the requisitions are received on the printed letter heads of the firms. The packing and forwarding charges have to be borne by the firm.
6. Treasury Challans or Receipts with the head of credit duly noted on them may be sent only for the cost of the publication. Postal and other forwarding charges will have to be sent in advance.
7. Remittances to cover the cost and postage of books or other articles may be sent by Money Order, Postal stamps (if the amount is less than eight annas), or uncrossed cheques on banks in Bangalore. Balance of remittances, if any, after the orders are complied with, will be returned in the form of postal stamps in case the amount does not exceed eight annas and by Money Order if the amount exceeds eight annas, at the cost of the purchaser.